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AMENDMENT

Sir:

The Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated March 27, 2002.  
Applicants hereby request a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action, to and including August 27, 2002.

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

14. (Amended) A pharmaceutical preparation comprising  
a therapeutically effective amount of a CFTR expression regulator for upregulating  
CFTR expression, wherein the CFTR expression regulator is a polysaccharide that is an LPS  
core moiety comprising

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